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Dear Professor Maria Mastalerz:

These soil samples may contain coal combustion waste. They were taken from a location west of and outside the Pines Area of Investigation.

<http://www.epa.gov/region5/sites/pines/index.htm>

Would you please look at these samples and let us know if they are, or are not, coal combustion waste.

The EPA and the responsible parties, Brown Incorporated and Northern Indiana Public Service Company, will only test within the Area of Investigation. However, there are residences outside the Area of Investigation who have elevated levels of Boron and Molybdenum in their well water. These soil samples were taken close to one of those residences.

Please respond with my self addressed, stamped envelope.

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